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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

1. This paper is filed in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 37 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office dated September 7, 2005. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements is enclosed.
2. Additional Papers Filed:
 - (i) Executed Inventor Declaration (2 pages)
 - (ii) Information Disclosure Statement
 - (iii) Form PTO-1449 (2 pages)
 - (iv) Copies of 33 documents
3. Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants do not believe an extension of time is required. However, if Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time, please consider this a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
4. Fee Payment: The Commission is hereby authorized to charge \$65.00 to Deposit Account 50-0310 for payment of the missing requirements surcharge fee at the small entity rate.
5. Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due

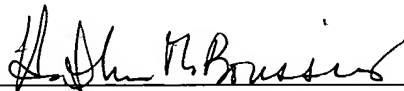
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 11/29/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 11/29/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/29/2004
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette filed on 11/29/2004
- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 11/29/2004
- Small Entity Statement filed on 11/29/2004
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 11/29/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 11/29/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 11/29/2004

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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